

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Makes delicious hot biscuit, griddle cakes, rolls and muffins.

The only Baking Powder Made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

FACE VALUE OF CHECKS TO BE KEPT IN PRISON.

Must Be Paid By Coal Company-- Deduction of 10 Per Cent To Miners Usurious.

The Court of Appeals recently decided a case of great importance to miners and mine owners. The case was Kentucky Coal Mining Company against Ben Mattingly, from Union county. The coal company issued aluminous checks to the miners in advance of pay-days but deducted 10 per cent of their wages when they came to settle on pay day, for the favor of advancing them the substitute for money.

Mattingly had accumulated over \$200 worth of these checks and asked the coal company to redeem the checks at their face value instead of deducting the 10 per cent. The company refused and he brought suit to compel it to redeem them at their face value. The court here says: "The company did not lend its men money. It's lending its credit to them until next pay day in consideration of a deduction of 10 per cent from their wages, was a contract by law will not sanction or enforce. If such contracts were upheld, our usury laws would be vain and useless." The judgment of the lower court directing the coal company to pay the face value of the checks is affirmed.

New Sultan Recognized By the United States.

Mehmed V., the new Sultan of Turkey, was officially recognized as the reigning ruler of that empire by the Washington Government on Wednesday.

Preacher Deserts His Wife and Son In Kentucky.

Renouncing the religion he had defended in the pulpit, the Rev. P. R. Campbell, aged 27, of Stamping Ground, Ky., was locked up at Central Station, St. Louis, Mo., Wednesday night in company with his "affinity," Miss Josephine Hosley, a member of his flock. The girl is 19 years old.

Campbell is a pastor of the Christian Church and admitted to the police his love for the girl, which took him from his wife and son in Kentucky.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowel cause chronic constipation. Doan's Kidney Pills operate easily tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them. 13-4t.

Does It Ever Happen? A girl generally loses confidence in herself if she fails to make a fool of a man after she has met him the third time.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Miss Murriel White, daughter of the American Ambassador to France, was married in Paris on Wednesday to Count Hermann Scherr-Thoss, an officer of the Royal Cuirassiers.

Young Turks Send Former Sultan to Saloniki.

The former ruler of the Empire, Abdul Hamid II., is to be kept in a prisoner on a height overlooking Saloniki, lately occupied by the Italian commander of the international gendarmerie. He is not to be put on trial. His household will be administered for him upon a generous scale and his life will be safeguarded.

Abdul Hamid, with four wives, five daughters and two of his younger sons was taken from the Yildiz Palace and started for Saloniki.

The Constitutionalists would like to get the great sums of money that the former Sultan is supposed to have abroad. Speculation places Abdul Hamid's wealth at anything between \$25,000,000 and \$200,000,000.

G. W. H. Stanley.

Recently we made mention of the death of Prof. G. W. H. Stanley, of Macon, Ga., who, in 1892, married Miss Nannie Anderson, daughter of Mrs. M. W. Anderson, of our county. In 1892 he established Stanley's Business College at Thomasville, Ga. There he successfully conducted the school for 12 years. In 1904 he moved the school to Macon, Ga., where it has since been a prosperous and popular institution. A Macon paper says of him:

He was a successful business man and held in the highest esteem by all who knew him. His strict honesty and integrity were the shining traits of his character. Having climbed from the bottom himself, he knew how to be a genuine friend to the struggling, deserving young men and women, and many of them today owe their successful careers to the start given them by his assistance and advice.

In his private life his noble character probably exhorted its swiftest fragrance.

During all this time his devoted wife has been a faithful co-laborer, and that she has determined to continue the school under the same name and policy will be welcome news to those who had come to know it as one of the foremost educational institutions of the State.

A Christian gentleman of strong convictions, strictest honor and integrity and marked ability as an instructor, a tender, loving and devoted husband and father, he leaves a place in the home and community that can never be filled.

Harm Done by Wrong Food. A New York skin specialist says: "Had I to choose between the cook and the apothecary as collaborer, I think I would not hesitate for a moment to yoke myself with the former. He goes on to say that 'the board kills more than the sword.' Many people eat not only the wrong foods, but too much of them."

"IT IS THE WILL OF ALLAH"

Said the Deposed Sultan--Mehmed V. Promises to Put An End to Tyranny and Oppression in His Domain.

Constantinople, April 28.—The reign of the "Red Sultan" is ended. Abdul Hamid II. has been deposed, giving way on the throne to Mehmed Reschad Effendi, who begins his reign as Mehmed V., a variation of Mahomet, it being considered inappropriate to assume the precise name of the prophet. Mehmed V. is the thirty-fifth sovereign of Turkey in male descent of the house of Osman, the founder of the empire, and the twenty-ninth Sultan since the conquest of Constantinople.

The two Houses of Parliament, meeting as a national assembly, approved the decree of deposition. The document recites that Abdul Hamid's acts were contrary to the sacred law and set forth a long list of crimes. The newly chosen ruler took the oath at the War Office. He then proceeded to the Parliament and later went to the Dolma Bagtche Palace as head of the Empire, where for so many years he had practically been in prison.

Martial law was relaxed Tuesday and the people gave themselves over to celebrating the victory of the Young Turks party and the end of Abdul Hamid's reign.

The Sheikh-ul-Islam issued the fetva as the decree of deposition is called. It informed Mehmed Reschad Effendi that he was chosen Sultan by the will of the church, by the will of the Parliament, the will of the army and the will of the people. It admonished him to serve God and keep the sacred law as communicated by the prophet. This Reschad humbly promised to do.

The Sheikh-ul-Islam personally visited the Sultan and informed His Majesty that the question having been put in canonical form before the Sheikh and his associates as to whether Abdul Hamid had not forfeited the right to rule over the faithful, they had decided "Yes."

Abdul bowed his head, saying: "It is the will of Allah."

The decree declared that Abdul Hamid II. must abdicate or be deposed.

The assembly unanimously shouted: "De throne him!"

Allison King, 3678.

Allison King 3678, will make the season of 1909 at Emerald Chief Stock Farm. \$20 to insure.

It is by the noted Wilson's King 2196, 1st dam by Barton Wilkes, he by Gov. Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. The dam of Gov. Wilkes was Daisy Burns, an undefeated show mare by Indian Chief, 1718. 2d dam by Erissom, that held for 20 years the 4-yr-old record over the Louisville track. 3rd dam by Hooten, by Benton's Diomedes. Allison King has the trot and action these blood lines indicate. Glorious Red Cloud, Golden King and Allison King rank first among the sons of King for action and speed. He is a graduate in harness in the circuit including Falmouth, Germantown, Mayville, Ewing and Ripley, Ohio. This trot is wonderfully high, with great fold of knee and in line, no forging or paddling. He is saddle type and is in training this season for the circuit in saddle classes. His rack is sensational as his trot. The Emerald Chief Stock Farm is proud to offer the services of this grand horse owned by Mr. Wm. McCann, of Tilton, Ky., and ask a liberal patronage for him. He is a King, chestnut in color, and of beautiful type.

EDITOR SEES SNAKES.

And Tells of Many Other Important Facts in Clark County. Court Proceeding, County Option, Marriages, Etc.

This is the season when even a temperate man sees snakes.

From a long acquaintance with "real" fishermen I can say that they are truthful. A good fisherman don't have to tell lies about his catches.

Wm. Robb shipped to Cincinnati a car load of hogs, bought from Clark county farmers, at 6c.

Neil Rome was given one year in the penitentiary for stealing chickens in the Circuit Court.

Wm. Haggard recently received letters patent on his bottle washing machine.

David Prewitt, of Winchester, is back in the Good Samaritan Hospital. He returned to his home a few days ago, but became worse.

H. A. Rogers, of the Wales Mill precinct, who has been so seriously ill for a long time, is able to be about the house.

The meeting of the Board of Education was very important. The report of the census taker for the whites, showed 1,057 number of pupils of school age in the city, a falling off of 40. The colored census has not been finished. Two sets of maps for teaching Physical and Political Geography were ordered. All old teachers were re-elected and two new teachers.

Will Steelman, colored, was arrested Sunday morning on the charge of selling whiskey, tried before Judge F. P. Pendleton and convicted. Officer Ballard had three men to come up from Ford Sunday morning and gave them marked money to buy the whiskey. In a few minutes they returned with the whiskey.

About 2,000 people witnessed the opening game of the Blue Grass League between Winchester and Paris. About 250 people came up from Paris. The game was 4 to 3 for Winchester.

Judge Benton, in the case of the City of Winchester vs. S. W. Willis' executors, decided that the Board of Council of the city had no authority to assess property which had been assessed by the City Assessor and passed on by the Board of Supervisors and held that the action of Board of Supervisors was final.

PENDLETON SOCIETY.

Miss Ella Pendleton and Mr. Leslie Scott, of Pine Grove, went to St. Louis Saturday night, April 21, and were married. They returned to the home of the bride's father, Judge F. P. Pendleton. They will live in the country.

To the Democrats of Clark County: Since the announcement of my candidacy for the Legislature, I have made known my position on the temperance question and I desire to announce publicly that I am now committed to the support of the County Unit Bill. I believe that the county should be the smallest unit to deal with temperance legislation.

W. T. Ogden.

This paper does not mix in Democratic primaries. Mr. Ogden and Mr. Hunter are fine gentlemen and personal friends of the editor. Some how or other we have always had an admiration for the candidate that boldly says what he is for and how he will vote, if elected. Mr. Ogden in this issue declares his position. We presume

The Latest Ladies wishing to secure the Latest in

Fancy Dress Goods

will call at our store. We have a large choice selection of

Hosiery, Novelties, Notions, Table Linens, Etc.

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CARPETS

in Latest Patterns.

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Mr. Hunter has convictions equally decided.

The temperance question is the live wire in Kentucky politics and applies to one party as well as the other. No candidate can dodge it.

To say that the temperance question is a moral one, and is not political, is fine in theory, but in practice, where moral and economic questions are to be settled by the lawmakers, the people will make it a question in spite of the politicians.

The stallion show came to an abrupt end, James T. Wade and a colored man who was showing the speed of their horses, ran together, in opposite directions. Both were thrown to the ground. The negro's cart was demolished and horse badly crippled. The wheel of Mr. Wade's cart was broken and the axle broke, but horse was not hurt. Other horse owners took their stallions in.

Gov. Willson, in pardoning W. S. Taylor and others, has done no more than was his duty. The prosecution in the last trial of Powers fell down completely. There never would have been any trial. Some will criticize him because they honestly believe that the parties were guilty. Politicians will use it to accomplish political ends, but we are confident that a large majority of the people will approve of what has been done. Taking the matter as a whole, neither party can look back at what occurred at and following the election of 1899 with any degree of pride.

One of the most horrible crimes in the history of Winchester was committed Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock when Miss Jessie Turner, youngest daughter of Mrs. Amanda Turner, was seized by two unknown men and an assault was attempted. Mrs. Turner with her four single daughters live on Winn Avenue. In the rear of the house is a long flight of steps. She had gone down a few steps when she was suddenly seized by two men. They carried her about 100 yards in the rear of the stock pens. Her screams attracted the attention of two boys on their way to town. They with Will Ball and Robert Scoble went to where the screams came from. They found Miss Turner with her hands and feet tied and a rope around her neck. Most of her clothes were torn from her and a part of her shirt waist was wrapped around her head and face. (See later report in another column.)

The jury in the \$10,000 damage case of engineer F. L. Barnes, of

Lexington, against the Clark County Construction Company, returned a verdict for \$3,250 in favor of the plaintiff. This is the second trial. The first jury gave \$5,000. Judge Benton directed a verdict for the plaintiff, but left the amount to be determined by the jury.

TAKE IT IN TIME.

Just as Scores of Mt. Sterling People Have.

Waiting doesn't pay. If you neglect the aching back, Crutney troubles, diabetes surely follow.

Doan's Kidney Pills relieve backache.

Cure every kidney ill.

Mt. Sterling citizens endorse them.

R. M. Freeland, 169, W. High St., Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "I am not certain whether the driving I do in my work, injured my kidneys but the jarring of the wagon caused severe pains through my kidneys and I know that these organs were not acting properly. My back was very painful when I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at F. C. Duerson's drug store. They gave me quick and decided relief. When I felt any need of a kidney remedy since, I have taken them and they have never failed me. Any person suffering from backache or any symptoms of kidney trouble will make no mistake in giving Doan's Kidney Pills a fair trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. 13-2t

Save Your Fowls.

Mrs. J. B. Cox, Lawrenceburg, Ky., the noted breeder of Blount's Bantam turkeys, says: "Last September Mrs. R. B. Cox called me over the telephone and told me that her turkeys were all sick and several of them down and unable to travel. She said she believed she was going to lose the whole flock and asked me if I could do anything for them. I sent her a fifty-cent bottle of BOURBON POLTRY CURE and told her how to use it. She never lost a single turkey and they were all sound and well in a week's time. I have been raising forty poultry for fifteen years and had this trouble the last 15 years. I have a hundred turkeys and I give them BOURBON POLTRY CURE twice a week and never think of such a thing as having a sick fowl."

BOURBON POLTRY CURE works alike on Chickens, Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and all the fowl family. A few drops in the drinking water keeps them healthy and free from disease. Sold by W. S. Lloyd. 10-4t

Same Here.

One of the hottest given the Japanese bride is "do not talk too much." The constant stress laid on this advice is a sure sign that it isn't being heeded.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR SENATOR.
 CLAUDE M. THOMAS
 of Bourbon county, as a candidate for State Senator from the district composed of Bourbon, Clark and Montgomery, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Under "High Bridge" will be found interesting statements about a great engineering feat.

Our readers who live on the farm or who raise chickens should see "Egg Eaters" in this issue.

Ex-Senator, Jas. B. McCreary, declines to make race for Governor on Democratic ticket. He is wise, if he thinks that trees are to be voted against him.

We record some facts which we deeply regret; yet they serve as a warning, an admonition or incentive to nobler living. There are dark phases of life. Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.

The Attorney General prosecuting the alleged Tennessee night riders at Waverly received twelve letters declaring that he must cease his activity or die. Of course he will continue to prosecute the outlaws. Duty to one's country, even if it brings death, is preferable to a disgraceful intimidation.

DIDN'T FOOL US.

Gov. Willson has done what we said he would do, pardon the whole lot of the Goebel assassins, save only Yontsey, the only man of the whole gang who told the truth about the whole business. Those who call themselves Democrats and who elected Willson can now go out into a quiet fence corner and kick themselves good.—Flemingsburg Times-Democrat.

In this issue is an article on how "To Live 1,000 Years." We do not advise you to strictly follow his rule, yet there are valuable suggestions for meditation. Were we to ask, "Do you want to live a thousand years?" you would be apt to say: That depends upon ——. It may be thirty, sixty or possibly a hundred years of earth life about which we are deeply concerned, while the eternal life is a matter of little concern.

STATE TO AID.

Governor Shafroth, of Colorado, has signed the campaign expense bill passed by the recent Legislature and the unique measure becomes a law in 90 days. It provides that the State shall contribute for campaign expenses every two years 20 cents for each vote cast at the preceding general election, the sum to be divided among the political parties according to the vote cast for their candidates for Governor.

NEW DEPOT.

We wish publicly to thank the C. & O. officials for their decision to erect a new depot in our city. They know better than other people the importance of our city as a shipping point and a traveling center, and will, we trust, erect a building so commodious, convenient and artistic, that our people as well as themselves will be proud of it. Strangers passing through or coming to our town would be favorably impressed with such a structure. How charming would be a little flour garden on their corner lot now occupied by the dilapidated blacksmith shop and enclosed on Maysville St. by the bill board fence. This transformation could be effected at small cost, and will add much to the attractiveness of their property.

WALTER CROOKS.

Walter Crooks wants to be Sheriff of this county, and today so announces in this paper. If the voters of the county elect him, he begins his term with the acquaintance with people, knowledge of and practice in the duties attending 4 years of service as a deputy under Sheriff Prewitt.

According to our opinion and knowledge of him, he is courteous, competent, industrious, sober and discreet. He is unmarried and good looking; probably he can't help that, and this fact should not bar his acceptance, especially as our people have become accustomed to this kind. Association has much to do with what we are. We are pleased to present him. At present he announces as one of his deputies Mr. Neal Guilfoile.

DANGER AHEAD.

The withdrawal of many candidates from the Democratic primary in Fayette county leads the public to believe that in the planning for the primary undue influence have been used which do not give a "square deal," to the candidates in the appointment of election officers.

The conclusion is that honest and truthful men have not been appointed to conduct the election, and that if necessary sufficient votes will be stolen or rejected to give machine candidates the nominations irrespective of the number of votes cast. Such procedure should bring defeat to men who will resort to such methods and will wreck any party which practices it. Honesty in a political race is as important as in commercial affairs.

EDITOR BECKHAM.

The Frankfort State Journal, owned by W. P. Walton, was, on Thursday sold to J. S. Newman, who has for some months been managing editor. Ex-Gov. J. C. W. Beckham will have editorial charge and direct its policy. This indicates evidently that Gov. Beckham is in politics to stay. Look out for developments.

Whooping Cough.

This is a more dangerous disease than is generally presumed. It will be a surprise to many to learn that more deaths result from it than from scarlet fever. Pneumonia often results from it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, and always with the best results. Delbert McKelvey, of Harlan, Iowa, says of it: "My boy took whooping cough when nine months old. He had it in the winter. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which proved good. I cannot recommend it too highly." For sale by R. H. White & Co., Druggist. 34-41.

Site For New Depot.

On Thursday the Chiles-Thompson Grocery Co. sold to the C. & O. Railway Co. the lot between Maysville and Bank streets for the erection of a new depot. We are pleased to report progress and hope that the C. & O. will give us an up-to-date building.

Saturday Only! All of our 12c and 15c coffees, fresh roasted at 12½c a pound. Sp. C. Gro. Co.

Did you get the message? See Knox and Stetson hats at Walsh Bros.

Opera house.

Indications are favorable for a \$10,000 Opera House. Particulars in a few days.

T. F. Rogers can bond you for any responsible position.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

STOOPS

Farmers are busy replanting corn.

The cyclone cellar has become quite popular here.

The recent cloud-burst seriously injured the pikes.

Chris. Cassidy sold a cow to John McClain for \$30.

Mrs. Harrison Conn has been very ill since Wednesday.

Bridges Bros. have sold 200 lambs to Joe Turley at 6c.

H. C. Ficklin visited relatives at Jeffersonville last week.

The family of Cad Jones have recovered from the measles.

Mrs. J. Will Clay has begun the erection of a large tobacco barn.

Squire John C. Trimble visited Josiah Coons, near Lexington last week.

T. K. Bowen and wife, of Levee, visited Miner Bowen and family Saturday and Sunday.

Several crops of wheat have been sold for \$1.00. A few crops were sold last fall at 75c.

Robt. L. Stone and wife, of Owingsville, visited Mrs. Ella Hamilton and family Thursday.

W. M. Kissick and wife of Little Rock, visited Harrison Conn from Thursday till Saturday.

Mrs. Lida Mark has moved from Owingsville to the home of her mother, Mrs. Lucy Smathers, near Springfield.

Bridges Bros. sold to Robert Simpson, of Versailles, a 2-year-old Bourbon Chief colt, out of a Red Cloud mare, for \$1800.

The worst storm that ever visited this section began about 11 o'clock Thursday night. Hinkston creek was higher than ever before known. Scores of tobacco beds were completely ruined. The damage can hardly be estimated.

PLUM LICK.

Carl Moreland and Grover Harney and wife have small pox.

Jack Laughlin sold a 3-year-old gelding to Matt Fletcher for \$125.

John Palmer, of New York, visited his brother, Rezin Palmer, last week.

Thomas Cline had a mare to drop a valuable colt during the storm Thursday night and it was washed away in the flood.

We had quite a wind and hail storm here Thursday night. Blew the top off of Sam Patrick's barn and blew a barn down for K. I. Richie and lifted the tin roof off John Setters' porch and carried it 300 yards. Much damage was done to fences, timber, tobacco, canvass, etc. Tobacco beds on low ground were completely washed away or ruined by being covered over with mud.

Screen Wire of all widths at The Fair, 5c a yard up.

Notice to Gas Consumers.

After the regular reading of meters in the month of May, 1909, the rates on all gas furnished for domestic purposes and for gas engine service, will be thirty-two (32) cents per thousand cubic feet, subject to a discount of two (2) cents per thousand, making a net rate of thirty (30) cents per thousand (if bills are paid on or before the tenth day of the month following that in which the gas was consumed).

C. KY. NATURAL GAS CO. 42-54.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MT. STERLING NATIONAL BANK

At Mt. Sterling, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business April 30, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$285,911.45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	19,273.56
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds on Hand	90.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	8,500.00
Due from State and Private Banks	4,571.00
Trust Companies and Savings Banks	11,714.54
Due from insured and reserve agents	41,728.30
Cheques and other cash items	2,344.25
Notes of other National Banks	2,135.00
Fractional paper currency, notes and coins	149.34
Legal Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$ 10,972.00
Legal-tender notes	20,472.30
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasury	\$250.00
1 per cent of circulation	\$48,574.43
Total	\$481,574.43
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	\$60,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	\$387.01
National Bank notes outstanding	\$50,000.00
Due to other National Banks	15,572.00
Due to State Banks and Banks	4,571.00
Individual deposits subject to check	209,279.25
Certified checks	91.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	249.45
Reserved for taxes	250.00
Total	\$481,574.43

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
 CITY OF MONTICELLO, 's
 I, W. A. Lloyd, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 W. A. LLOYD, President.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of May, 1909.
 ELIZABETH W. ATWELL,
 Notary Public.
 My commission expires end next session Kentucky Senate.

CORRECT—ALSO:

J. A. LANSANT,
 CHAS. D. GRIFFIN,
 B. F. COCKRELL, Directors

Hip Broken.

On Saturday night about 8 o'clock Mrs. Sam Greene, aged 66, fell down the stairway at her home, breaking the right hip bone about one inch from the socket. Her condition is not serious. Her daughters, Mrs. Foley and Miss Eula Greene, of Lexington, arrived on Sunday, and her sister, Mrs. Jno. McClure, of Winchester, has come to see her.

For Rent.

The north side of the double residence, most desirably and conveniently located, at corner of Maysville and Clay streets, is for rent by Trimble Bros. 34-41

Swiss embroideries and Val laces in newest designs at The Novelty Store.

Large line of new Wall Paper at The Fair, 5c a bolt up.

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NEW Wash Suits

In All New and U-to-Date Styles

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- Skirts -

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Fire At Olive Hill.

At Olive Hill, Ky., April 25, fire broke out in the Old Fellows' building about midnight, with the following losses: Old Fellows' building, \$1,500; insurance \$1,200; Olive Hill Mill and Feed Company, \$5,000; no insurance; Superior Planing Mill Company, \$4,500; no insurance; Big Sandy Telegraph and Telephone Company's warehouse, \$500; no insurance. The Old Fellows met in their building and had only been gone a short time when the fire broke out.

Wanted to Borrow.

\$500 for two or three years, with mortgage on \$2,000 worth of improved country property. Apply to C. B. Stephens at Advocate Office.

The American Sugar Refining Company Thursday paid into the Treasury of the United States \$806,000, completing a payment aggregating over \$2,154,000 in settlement of all civil claims arising out of fraudulent weighing of sugar in Brooklyn and Jersey City.

"Did You Get the Message?"



"The Marconi Wire"

is a new one in Men's Clothes, and is shown first and only by WALSH BROS. in this section. It's a live one, one originated and woven by one of the best Canadian mills, a weave that is timely and that can be woven into every suit and carry with it that snap so necessary to clothes without being suggestive.

The "Marconi Wire" and hundreds of other styles and cloths that will electrify, please and prove beyond a question the wireless message of our supremacy in the clothing trade of East Kentucky that is



now being carried on the wave currents of business. Come in, ask to see the live styles. The "Marconi" suits, the brightest, snappiest style ever shown for young fellows by a Kentucky store. THE PRICES ARE REASONABLE, as they are on the hundreds of other beautiful suits that we are specializing on at

\$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.50.

If you are at all in the notion of purchasing a suit for spring and summer wear, you should see our complete showing. Everything possible will be done to serve you. COME TO-DAY.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

Gentlemen!

Have you visited the well-appointed shop of Walsh Bros. to see what you could or what you can do in the way of a spring suit. You know what

Stein-Block and Hamburger Clothes

are, don't you? Well, we are showing every style Stein-Block and Hamburger make—and that's more than any store in Louisville can say. Our selection of patterns has met with the greatest praise from good dressers. We are showing plain worsted, fancy worsted, chalk line stripes, beautiful greys and greens in coats that are suited to men of quiet tastes. Our line of stouts, shorts, long, long-stouts, extra sizes, regulars and slims makes fitting here the easiest part of our business. Our qualities are beyond question, and we are making special prices of \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$18 for handsome qualities. COME AND SEE.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

The Knox Hat

is and will continue to be the best Hat, and why? Because the Knox Hat Company is composed of the best merchants in the United States to-day—one big family living on the ground floor offering their united experience as one for the betterment of hats.

The Stings Brim "Daisy" for young chaps and the generous shapes for the older men are moving with electrical rapidity.

The Stetson line complete soft and stiff, staple and novel, is here, and here only. Did you ever notice the difference between our Stetsons and others? Come here and see all the Hats. From \$1.00 to \$7.50.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

The Manhattan Shirt

is certainly the best shirt proposition before the trade to-day. How many men with good eyesight or good foresight can buy any shirt but Manhattan when his price is \$1.50, \$2.00 or \$2.50, we can't see. Just compare the qualities, the make, style and finish, to say nothing of patterns and fit, of Manhattans with the others of the same cost and see the difference. We are showing 75 patterns in Manhattans, any size and any length of sleeve. Violet Rays, Peacock Blue, Cypress Green and Helio shades that electrify. Manhattan Shirts from \$1.50 up.

THE ECLIPSE in broad, bold stripes and quiet, soft shades in plain grounds, woven thru and thru cloth, sold for \$1.00—never less.

SEE THE LINE.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

J. & M. Low Shoes

How about the fit of your Low Cut Shoes around the ankles? J. & M. fit there. Made on low cut lasts is the reason they hold their shape, too, and then the style is different—it's Walsh style, and that's one of the reasons for us doing the good shoe business. J. & M. Tans, Pats, Calf, Gun Metals are selling.

The Eclipse and W. L. Douglas lines are better than ever. The \$2.50 and \$4.00 Low Shoes in Tans and Oxblood, Chocolate, Pats, and Gun Metals are beauties—freaks and plain styles to select from—bought in the Walsh Way. See them. Boys Shoes in W. L. Douglas make at

\$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Catch step, come to Walsh Bros.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

Young Fellow!

The Students' Suits are going into every corner of this county. Now what style is the Students' Suit? It's a three-button, medium cut sack suit with dip front, military back, broad chest, full sleeves, broad shoulders, with full skirt, fancy welted pockets and plain cuffs, with five straight buttons. Pants are big hip, peg top, all pockets buttoned, and made with three-inch hem, to be worn turned up or plain bottoms.

The Students' Sack

is Alpaca lined, with the large silk-woven label and name under collar. The vest to Students' Suit has four large buttons, buttoned pockets and white piping. It is beyond question the swellest suit for a young fellow ever shown.

Students' Suits in Blue Serges, Regatta Stripes and Fancy Buckskin Tan and Brown shades. Students' Suits are especially priced at

\$12.50, \$15, \$18, \$20 and \$22.50.

Young fellows, see these suits, and the new SWEATH SUIT.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

Trunks, Suit Cases, &c.

GOING AWAY? Then see our line of Steamer Trunks, Dresser Trunks and regular all-round Travelers Dress Suit Cases, Bags and Sscopes; best line ever carried in this city and the largest. Prices right. Quality highest.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

Boys' Clothes

Don't spend your money for Boys' Clothes without seeing the correct things. We are making a special offering this week in

\$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 SUITS.

Pure wool worsted serges in Scotchies, with bloomer and plain pants, plain or plaided coats, single and double breasted styles, also a large select line of wash suits from 2 to 9 years, in solid pinks, tans, blues, greens, solid white and neat stripes and dark colours.

Come and see them. Cheaper than you can buy the goods and better than you could ever make them.

Boys' Hats, Caps, Hosiery and Underwear all in one big department on the balcony.

DID YOU GET THE MESSAGE?

Warm Wave's Coming

We are showing the finest line of Underwear ever brought here. B. V. D. Athletic Scrivens Shirts and Drawers, Pors knit Ballorigaus, Nainsook and Lisle Gauze, in short sleeves and knee lengths, from

25 CENTS UP.

CALL SEE THEM.

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A DOLLER'S WORTH FOR A DOLLAR. EVERYTHING CARRIED IN DUST-PROOF CABINETS. YOU CAN'T HELP ADMIRING OUR OFFERINGS



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New Crop : Just In Burpees

Sweet Pea Seed in
Mixed and Solid Colors
Nasturtium Seed

Tall and Dwarf Var-
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Duerson's Drug Store.
Phone 129. No. 10 Court St.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. R. L. Spratt is at home from Louisville.

J. W. Vanarsdell, of Washington, D. C., is here.

Miss Mary Turner visited in Louisville last week.

J. M. Isola, of Cincinnati, was in town on Thursday.

Miss Mary Gatewood last week returned from York, Pa.

Mrs. J. M. Pickrell, of Winchester, was here Monday.

R. M. Trimble on Friday left for Wichita, Kansas, and Colorado.

Miss Asena McKee on Monday went to Owingsville to visit Mrs. Alex. Conner.

Miss Mattie Donohue will arrive from North Carolina—probably tomorrow.

Mrs. Thos. Combs and daughter, of Lexington, were with Mrs. Ben Perry last week.

Mrs. J. L. Weber and son, Macbeth, are in Union, S. C., on a visit to relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Lockridge has returned from a visit to friends in North Middletown.

Mrs. Claude Paxton and son have been at Owingsville for several days and will return next week.

Mrs. Effie Pieratt and children, of West Liberty, came on Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Dawson, and other relatives.

The following attended the dedication of the new Christian church at Winchester on Sunday morning: Rev. H. D. Clark, J. D. Hazledine, C. D. Grubbs, wife and children, Mrs. Amelia Young, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barnes and daughter, Mrs. T. K. Barnes, Mr. D. L. Proctor, J. D. Swartz, Mrs. B. F. Cockrell, Miss Bettie Roberts, Mrs. M. E. Cassidy, Mrs. B. W. Trimble, Mrs. M. G. Buckner and son, and in the evening I. F. Tabb and wife and B. W. Trimble.

See our \$15, \$18 and \$20 suits. The most select line in town to select from. Punch & Graves.

DEATHS.

See on page 1 comments on G. W. H. Stanley.

JAMESON.—Mrs. Belle Jameson, aged about 65, died in this city on Wednesday, April 23. The burial was in the Calk graveyard on Thursday. She was the sister of I. F. and Thomas Calk, both deceased.

WADE.—Mrs. Sallie Wade, aged 78 years last December, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Rice, near North Middletown, on Wednesday night, April 28, 1909. She had been sick for a month. Her husband, Edmond Wade, died 15 years ago. She was a sister of James Morris, of Oklahoma, Mrs. Mary Ramsey, of Clark county, Owen Morris and Mrs. R. F. Moore, of this city. She is survived by four children: Jas. Wade and Mrs. Eva Ragland, of Clark, J. W. Wade, of our city, and Mrs. Rice. The funeral service was held on Friday morning by Rev. Willis, of Houstonville, and the burial was in the family grave yard.

Fruit Press, 10c; 2½ gallon Tin Buckets, 10c; Screen Door Hinges, pair, 10c; Springs for Doors, 5c. The Fair.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Miss Ruth Hoffman, of Jeffersonville, Ind., gave a box party at the Mary Anderson in honor of Miss Alice Apperson, of Mt. Sterling.—Courier-Journal.

New peas and string beans at Vanarsdell's. Phone 10.

All Sold.

Miss Anna Pomroy, of the Spot Cash Grocery, bought the last 3 lots at the Taylor Allotment on Spring street, thus closing a most remarkable sale of 41 lots before the actual opening day of the sale advertised to begin May 4. Quite a number of the purchasers intend building at once.

Embroidered edges and insertions in dainty match sets, great in variety and value at

The Novelty Store.

Attention Farmers! One day—Saturday Only! we offer 20c per dozen for fresh eggs in trade.

Spot Cash Grocery.

Rev. W. W. Ramsey, former pastor of Centenary Methodist Church, Lexington, died in Detroit, Michigan, on Saturday.

Extra good suits for boys, the largest line in town to select from. Punch & Graves.

Did you get the message? See our washable and twill suits for the boys. Walsh Bros.

T. F. Rogers has three companies writing windstorm insurance.

Veterinary Surgeon.

Dr. Tribou, Office at McCormick & Co's. Stable, Bank St. Both Phones. 39-1f.

New spring vegetables of all kinds at Vanarsdell's.

RELIGIOUS

The W. C. T. U. meets tomorrow at 2 o'clock with Mrs. John W. William.

Sunday will be observed at the Methodist church as "Mothers' Day." Everyone is requested to wear a white flower as a visible tribute to the purity of mother love. The services will be given entirely to celebrate the mother love. There will be appropriate and special music and decorations. Every one who has a mother or who has had a mother is invited to be present.

On account of water in the basement the Baptist church could not be used on Sunday morning. As Rev. H. D. Clark was in Winchester, the congregation of the Christian church were pleased to extend to the Baptists their pulpit. Rev. Smalley, a young man of Louisville, was their visiting preacher. He made a favorable impression. After the sermon the usual communion service was held.

A Baltimore dispatch on April 26 states that the congregation of Brantly Baptist Church, one of the largest churches of that denomination in Baltimore, decided to call as its pastor Rev. Henry M. Wharton. Dr. Wharton was the founder of Brantly Church and served as its pastor fifteen years ago. Our town people have pleasant memories of Rev. Wharton since he conducted a revival here last year.

Whisky and Revenue.

A temperance lady writes us from an Indiana city which has recently been voted dry, asking us to write something of the result of prohibition in this city. The whisky people of that city seem to be very much exercised because the city is to lose the "revenue" derived from saloon license. Of course their anxiety is purely unselfish. They don't care anything about their own "revenue." For the purpose of setting at rest the minds of these public-spirited citizens let us say that this city has been for over 22 years without a cent of revenue from saloon license, and her finances were never in a better condition. She has built a city hall, bought and maintained a good fire department, kept up her streets and grown to almost double the population and more than twice the wealth of the saloon period. And the surrounding country has kept pace with the city. There have been four banks established in villages in the in the county where they formerly had barrooms in which to deposit their savings, and the people and not the tavern-keepers own those banks. Farms are better tilled, homes are better furnished, crime has decreased so that the office of Jailor is the least lucrative of any in the county. We might go on and give other good results, but we think these should be sufficient to convince any "doubting Thomases" that a city or county does not thrive on revenue from saloons, but on the other hand the people do thrive by reason of their abolition.—Flemingsburg Times-Democrat.

Do It Now.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do so by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Nine cases out of ten are simply muscular rheumatism due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, and yield to the vigorous application of this liniment. Try it. You are certain to be delighted with the quick relief which it affords. Sold by R. H. White & Co., Druggist. 43-4f.

Bargains in Harness.

\$1.50 wagon breeching, \$4; \$2.50 collars, \$2; collar pads, 20c; all 25c whips, pads, brushes, 20c; other harness at close prices. 42-2f V. A. Riss, Locust St.

Did you get the message? See the Klu-Klu pants and coats at Walsh Bros.

MARRIAGES.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Miss Jessie Bosworth, of Philadelphia, formerly of this city, will, in June, be married to a Mr. Corbett, of Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. White, of Clark county, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Coleman, to Mr. Edwin Elliott Ford, of Frankfort. Marriage the first of June.

The following has been received from Lexington:

Mrs. Belle F. Wilson announces the marriage of her daughter Mary Irene

to Mr. Tilton Jackson Cassidy on Tuesday, April the twenty-seventh. Nineteen hundred and nine Lexington, Kentucky

At home after June the first 455 East Maxwell street

The groom is the son of Thos. D. Cassidy, formerly of our city, and is associated with the Cassidy Coal Company, of that city. He is a fine young business man with bright prospects.

T. S. Shrout, at Owingsville, Ky., sells the old reliable Columbus Buggy Co. buggies for \$125 each in rubber tire and \$110 each in steel tire. All other A.A. grade rubber tire just as cheap. Why not buy from him and save \$15 to \$25. 49-4f

KENTUCKY FAIR DATES.

Stanford, July 31—3 days.
Henderson, July 27—5 days.
Georgetown, July 27—5 days.
Madisonville, August 3—5 days.
Winchester, August 3—4 days.
Bluegrass Fair, Lexington, August 9—6 days.
Taylorsville, August 10—4 days.
Uniontown, August 10—5 days.
Harrodsburg, August 12—3 days.
Leitchfield, August 17—4 days.
Barbourville, August 18—3 days.
Brookland, August 18—3 days.
Shepherdsville, August 18—3 days.
Ewing, August 19—3 days.
Shelbyville, August 24—5 days.
Elizabethtown, August 24—3 days.
Springfield, August 25—4 days.
London, August 25—4 days.
Florence, August 25—4 days.
Frankfort, August 31—3 days.
Hartsville, August 31—3 days.
Tompkinsville, September 1—5 days.
Fern Creek, Sept. 1—5 days.
Bardstow, Sept. 1—4 days.
Hodgenville, Sept. 7—3 days.
Monticello, Sept. 7—4 days.
Glasgow, Sept. 8—4 days.
Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, Sept. 13—6 days.
Scottsville, Sept. 16—3 days.
Bedford, October 1—2 days.

Did you get the message about J. & M. shoes? Walsh Bros.

Bank Officers.

The Exchange Bank has re-elected the same board of officers except that N. B. Young takes the place of C. T. Evans as a director.

For Sale.

Short-horn and Polled Durham bulls, Poland China hogs and gilts. Thos. J. Birstuff, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

For Sale or Rent.

The Peters place of about 40 acres is for sale. If not sold by March 15 we will rent it. 32-1f H. Clay McKee & Sons Co.

Saturday Special! 19 pounds of best granulated sugar for \$1.00. Spot Cash Grocery.

Geo. W. Bain

was greeted by a large mass meeting on Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church. As always he made a great speech.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PIMPLES.

Zemo, a clean liquid for external use, draws the germs and their toxins to the surface of the skin and destroys them, leaving the skin clear and healthy. Two to six bottles will cure any case of pimples and blackheads. For sale everywhere. Write for sample, L. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis. FOR SALE BY W. S. LLOYD.



The Englander Couch Bed

Sells for \$12

AND THE BEST

Davenport Couch

On the Market. Call at our Store and See Them

W. A. Sutton & Sons

CORNER MAIN AND BANK STREETS



A Wonderful Colt.

Elisha S. Fitch, of Flemingsburg, owner of the mare, Belle Queen 5570, A. S. H. R., has sold a filly colt, foaled May 1, out of this mare, by Golden King, for \$1,000. When the deal was consummated he reserved the right not to accept any until the colt came, as there was some doubt in his mind as to whether the colt would be sound on account of such intense inbreeding. On Saturday morning he left home with the mare, reached Emerald Chief Stock Farm at supper time, and during the night she foaled a filly colt 3 feet 5½ inches high, perfect in every particular and pronounced by Mr. Johnson and others to be the finest ever foaled on the farm. This colt traces 4 times to Harrison Chief and 5 times to Indian Chief, and the mare is left at the farm to be bred back to Golden King. He also brought with him the mare, Omega, by Old Indian Chief, she being 21 years old and owned by M. S. McKee, of Cynthia. This mare is farmed by Jno. W. Fitch & Son, of Flemingsburg. W. H. Northcutt, of Cynthia, and the Powhatan Stock Farm, to be bred to Golden, and they have secured the services of Mr. Shultz, a great expert of the State at breeding old and barren mares, and they have to get from this mare a colt, she being the only descendant of Old Indian Chief.

Relfern and Warner Bros. Corsets at The Novelty Store.

For Sale.

Barn bill of lumber. A. G. Ricketts, R. F. D. 6, 42-2f

Large Brussels Rugs, \$1; Hemp Rugs, 50c; Hammocks, \$1, \$1.50. The Fair.

See our \$15, \$18 and \$20 suits. Punch & Graves.

Real Estate.

11, Clay McKee has for sale and rent, dwellings, business property, farms, vacant lots. 51-1f

Did you get the message? See our \$15 suits. Walsh Bros.

Best steaks and roasts at Vanarsdell's. Phone 10.

Flaxen in white and all desirable shades at The Novelty Store.

Did you get the message? See Manhattan Shirts at Walsh Bros.

Bonds executed promptly by T. F. Rogers.

Scarcity of Humor.

It is to be feared that if the papers reserved a special corner once each week for the witticism of the week, it would be often left blank. There is no wit to speak of to-day, only a feeble imitation of it which people are fond of calling the saving sense of humor.—London Saturday Review.

GREAT STORM.

Many People Killed, Much Property Destroyed and Great Damage To Farm Lands.

A great storm of wind, hail and rain prevailed over Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Arkansas and other States on Thursday night and Friday. Many lives were lost, especially in Tennessee and Georgia. Rain and wind in Kentucky, especially Central Kentucky, did much damage, destroying barns, unroofing houses, blowing down trees and washing away tobacco beds, etc. In Lexington 34 inches rain fell in 18 hours, a record breaker for April. In this city 7.69 inches. 1 tenth of an inch is 4 hogheads per acre, or 1 in. is 40 lbs. and 7.69 in. is 307.6 lbs. of water per acre. In this county barns belonging to David Howell, Tom Kerns, Mrs. Morris and others were damaged or wrecked. An elm at J. G. Trimble's place was uprooted. Hinkston creek was higher than for many years. Many forests and fruit trees were ruined, and plowed lands suffered greatly.

Did you get the message? Windstorm insurance written by T. F. Rogers.

Buy your coal and feed from Moore & Scott, Corner of Bank and Locust. Home Phone 37, E. K. 24.

WANTED

TEN FIRST-CLASS PAINTERS. Top Wages to High-Class Men.

Skyo Manufacturing Co., Lexington, Ky. 4-1f

Modern Man and Charns.

Many a hard-headed business man will stop to pick up a cast horseshoe or a "ucky" farthing, and is not a bit ashamed of the finds, but pockets them with great satisfaction, comments the London Crown. It is a fact that civilization has not improved us much in relation to our quaint beliefs, and charms and amulets are collectable and interesting curios.

Go Nutsches in Alaska.

Nutsches are not worn by men, exposed to the severity of an Alaskan winter. They wear full boots to protect the throat and face, keep the upper lip clean and dry. The moisture from the breath comes so quickly that a mustache becomes imbedded in a solid cake of ice, and the face is frozen in a short time.

New Holland Tramway System. The Dutch government has granted a concession to the Amsterdam & North Holland Tramway Company to build and operate an electric railway system in Holland. The route will be nearly 50 kilometers, running from Amsterdam north through Zaanland a Krommenhoo, from Zaandijk to Wylaan, and from Wylaan to Farmend. The Holland Development Company of Amsterdam, will build the entire system.

WHEN YOU BUY FLOUR

Remember there are two kinds. One is D. G. the other is D. B. Which kind are you using? : : :

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR

